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1. IN LIGHT OF OUR VIETNAMESE COMMUNIST ADVERSARIES' PENCHANT FOR REPEAT<sup>(ing)</sup> GAMBITS THAT HAVE WORKED BEFORE, IT MIGHT BE USEFUL FOR SAIGON [ ] TO BE CERTAIN THAT OUR MILITARY COLLEAGUES ARE AWARE OF THE FACT THAT THE VIET MINH (UNDER GIAP) DID SERIOUS DAMAGE TO GIA LAM AND CAT BI AIRFIELDS WITH SAPPER TEAMS INFILTRATED THROUGH THE SEWER SYSTEM. IT MIGHT BE WISE TO REVIEW SECURITY PROCEDURES AT TAN SON NHUT, BIEN HOA, DANANG, [ ]

2. WE HAVE LITTLE KNOWLEDGE HERE OF DRAINAGE AND SEWAGE SYSTEMS AT ABOVE AIRFIELDS. PERHAPS INFILTRATION VIA THIS ROUTE WOULD BE IMPOSSIBLE. ON THE OTHER HAND, <sup>FRENCH</sup> FRANCE THOUGHT IT WAS IMPOSSIBLE AT GIA LAM AND CAT BI BEFORE DISCOVERING TO THEIR GRE<sup>25X1</sup> EMBARRASSMENT THAT IT WAS NOT.

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